



The City of West University Place

Emergency Management

A Neighborhood City

COVID-19 Council Update – October 29, 2020

- In the last 2 weeks the nation has seen persistent daily increases in cases of COVID-19 and in Texas we have seen cases increase from 3-4K new cases per day to 5-6k per day. This data could indicate the beginning of a concerning trend that City staff will continue to closely monitor.
- Despite the rising numbers of cases, the COVID related hospital census is at 5.63% for our region (TSA-Q), which still remains well below the 15% threshold that allowed expansion of occupancy limits under executive order GA-32.
 - This data is available through the Southeast Texas Regional Advisory Council (SETRAC). <https://app.powerbi.com/view?r=eyJrIjojYjU5MzU4NjAtZWJjMC00MTIILTkwyYjYtMzE4ODY1YjAyMGU2liwidCI6ImI3MjgwODdjLTgwZTgtNGQzMS04YjZmLTdlMGUzYmUxMGUwOCIsImMiOjN9>
- Positivity rates:
 - Texas: 9.94% as of 10/28/2020
 - Texas Medical Center: 4.4% as of 10/28/2020
 - Harris County Public Health: 7.8% - 14 day average as of 10/21/2020
- City related data provided by Harris County Public Health is currently unavailable but as of 10/26 the County reported a total of 149 “Confirmed” cases of COVID-19 in West University Place; 12 of these cases are “Active” and 137 are “Recovered”. Zero deaths have been reported in West U.
- End of Report

